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## \*\*\*Media Advisory\*\*\*

Stamas to invite MEDC officials to tour Camp Grayling and Michigan National Guard facility in Alpena

**Who:** State Sen. Tony Stamas (R-Midland), Michigan Economic

Development Corporation Vice President of Government Relations Matthew Sweeney, and MEDC officials Fred

Grassman and Peggy Lowenstein.

What: Stamas will guide MEDC officials on a tour of Camp

Grayling and Alpena's Michigan National Guard Training

Facility.

When: Monday, Feb. 9

**Times and Locations:** 

10 to 11:30 a.m. Camp Grayling

1 to 2:30 p.m. Michigan National Guard Training

Facility in Alpena

**Briefing:** Stamas plans to provide the MEDC with a firsthand

glimpse of why these two facilities in northern Michigan

would be the perfect location for placement of the

Homeland Security Midwest Regional Training Facility.

The Michigan National Guard has a combat-readiness training facility in Alpena and a training facility at Camp Grayling. Combining resources of both facilities would provide two military fields, an emergency medical hospital, housing and an estimated 150,000 acres of space to use for

training.